



Woman's Club Celebrates Yuletide

Carrying out their traditional support of CARE, Torrance Woman's Club members visited their Christmas Tree to pin on money to help the needy of the world. At the tree are, from left, Mmes. Richard Rankin, Frank Breit and James Newman. Prior to the pinning, club members enjoyed Christmas potluck luncheon followed by a program of Christmas music by a choral group from Torrance High School directed by C. E. Webber. (Press-Herald Photo)



A Sight to Behold

Fascination mingled with a bit of fear are registered by one year old Benavids, patient in the pediatric ward at Harbor General Hospital and one of the 50 children attending the annual Christmas party given by the Volunteers for Children. Santa Claus, Norman Adams of the Harbor Hospital Security division, who has played this role since 1932, warms up to the youngsters are Mrs. Gilbert Bush, a volunteer, looks on. (Press-Herald Photo)

Holiday Session For Grads

One of the happiest parties of this holiday season was the reunion of Torrance High graduates of 1954, who gathered at the home of Mrs. Wayne Eads (Sandra Grub), 1626 Acacia Ave., last Wednesday evening. The Eads' home was festive in the holiday decor and guests enjoyed cocktails and hors d'oeuvres as they reminisced and caught up on current "happenings."

Local classmates together for the evening were Mmes. Harvey Rushfeldt, Arnis Dandoy, Jim Leech, Rudy Moreno, Jim Farrar, Bob Marshall, Joe Clevenger, Dick Armend, J. R. Stroh, Frank Paour III, Charles Codd; and Miss Jeri Moon.

Former Torrance residents, home for the holidays and greeting old friends, were Mmes. Ralph Bezanon, South

Lake Tahoe; Bill Dominguez, Garden Grove; Clayton Mallard, Grand Rapids, Iowa; Bob Moore, Thousand Oaks; James Johnson, Hacienda Heights.

A highlight of the evening was a telephone visit with Mrs. Barbara Parker of Hackensack, N.J., who with her husband was in Los Angeles attending a convention. Mrs. Parker is the former Barbara Hazzard of Torrance.

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Sprout Girls Visit Parents

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They are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mallard (Sally) and four daughters, Becky, Gwen, Jennie and Cynthia of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olivier (Peggy) and 10-month-old son Craig of Pleasanton; Mr. and Mrs. David (Jeannie) Beard and Diane of Wilmington; and Miss Linda Sprout, student at El Camino.

Attend Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wolf attended the Christmas dinner dance given by the Southern California Gas Co. for the members of the Building Industry Association in Compton last Thursday evening.

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